City of Hudson, WI Monday, October 22, 2018

Chapter 212. Streets and Sidewalks

Article I. General Provisions

§ 212-9. Snow and ice removal.

[Amended by Ord. No. 9-95]

- A. Sidewalks to be kept clear. The owner or occupant of any lot or parcel shall, within 24 hours after cessation of each continuous period of snowfall, remove all snow and ice which may have fallen or accumulated upon the sidewalk(s) abutting such lot or parcel, provided that when ice or packed snow has so formed that it cannot be removed, the owner or occupant shall keep the same sprinkled with a nonskid material which will prevent the sidewalk from being dangerous to pedestrians. [Amended 3-16-2009 by Ord. No. 4-09; 1-25-2016 by Ord. No. 2-16]
 - (1) If the owner or occupant fails to comply with this subsection, the City shall cause the snow or ice to be removed or sprinkled as required in this subsection, the cost thereof to be charged to the owner of the property, who will be billed for such services within 30 calendar days. The owner of the property shall pay all charges so billed within 30 calendar days of the date of the invoice.
 - (2) Failure to compensate the City within 30 calendar days of the date of the invoice will result in a penalty of 12% per annum being added to the cost of the services billed. Failure to pay the City for the services billed will result in the costs being assessed against the property as a special tax, and all costs delinquent from the previous winter will be entered upon the tax roll each December 1.
- B. Deposits of snow restricted. Excepting the clearing of snow from sidewalks or entries located upon a public right-of-way, no person shall cause snow to be deposited on boulevards, sidewalks, streets or avenues or any other City-owned property without permission therefor from the City. Payment of a fee sufficient to reimburse the City for the cost of removing any snow so deposited without permission may be required.
- C. Depositing of snow on private property. All snow from private property (driveways or parking lots) shall be either deposited on the originating owner's property or hauled away by the owner or his agent. Property owners shall not place their snow on other property without permission from the owner of the other property.